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The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, APRIL 15TH 1909.

THE discussion with regard to the  
"Colonial Cemetery" which took place at the  
Sanitary Board on Tuesday is interesting  
from many points of view. Mr. SHELTON  
HOOPER moved a resolution affirming it to  
be desirable that the Government should  
provide a special cemetery for the interment  
of persons of the Buddhist and other non-  
Christian faiths—for whom no special  
cemetaries are at present provided—where  
it may be lawful to practice any of the  
religious rites and ceremonies which are  
forbidden by the new bye-law governing  
what is called the "Colonial Cemetery" at  
Happy Valley. This new bye-law, which  
was adopted by the Sanitary Board last  
October and approved by the Legislative  
Council in December, prohibits the burning  
of joss-sticks and the firing of crackers in  
this cemetery. Mr. SHELTON HOOPER was  
the author of the bye-law and his motive  
apparently was to put a stop to the interment  
of Chinese in the cemetery intended as  
a final resting place for Europeans; and as  
the Chinese have their own cemetaries it  
was not foreseen that the new bye-law  
would bear hardly on anyone. The fact

that what are termed "joss-sticks" form a  
conspicuous feature of the ritual of the  
Japanese faiths was apparently overlooked  
at the time, and objections made by  
members of the Japanese community to the  
new bye-law led to the motion which was  
discussed by the Sanitary Board on Tues-  
day. Mr. LAU CHU PAK asserted that the  
Colonial Cemetery, as its name implied,  
was open to every resident in the Colony,  
irrespective of nationality or religion.  
Although Mr. SHELTON HOOPER was not in  
a position to show very positively that this  
is an entirely erroneous idea, it is hardly  
open to doubt that the cemetery was  
provided for the interment of Euro-  
peans of the Protestant faith. Special  
cemetaries were provided for the  
Chinese, for persons of the Mohammedan  
faith, and for those who belonged to the  
Roman Catholic church, and in view of  
what had previously happened at Macao,  
we feel sure that if the official records can  
be turned up, it will clearly appear that even  
though the cemetery may be now designat-  
ed the Colonial Cemetery, the term was not  
originally employed in the comprehensive  
sense suggested by Mr. LAU CHU PAK. In the  
early days there was a Colonial Chaplain,  
and what more natural than that he should  
describe the cemetery at which he officiated  
as the Colonial cemetery—meaning thereby  
the cemetery of the Colonial church? Certainly there is no other warrant for the  
description, for whenever the Government  
Gazette had occasion to mention the  
cemetery it was described as the Protest-  
ant Cemetery. The instance Mr. HOOPER  
quoted from the Gazette of 1887, is no  
isolated instance; the cemetery is similarly  
described in many later volumes. When  
the fact is made clear that it is a Protestant  
cemetery Mr. HOOPER's motion would hurt the  
sentiment of our Japanese friends, will doubt-  
less recognise that the boot fits the other foot.  
Primarily it is the Protestant community  
who have the right to feel aggrieved. We  
do not however, write with any bias towards  
one religious denomination more than  
another in this matter. Like Mr. Hewitt, we  
have "no view on this aspect of the subject,"  
but we can quite conceive that members  
of the Protestant Christian Church might  
be extremely opposed to the performance  
of other than Christian rites in the Pro-  
testant Cemetery, and we are equally  
sure that the Japanese would have no wish  
to wound their susceptibilities. But at  
the same time we cannot with any show  
of justice deny to those of the Budd-  
hist faith the right to exercise their  
religious rites and ceremonies wherever the  
authorities direct that their dead shall be  
buried. The best way out of the difficulty is  
to provide a special cemetery. In view  
of the growth of the Buddhist community in  
the Colony in recent years it certainly does  
seem desirable that the Government should  
appropriate a new site and authorise a  
cemetery for the interment of bodies of  
persons of the Buddhist and other non-  
Christian faiths not at present provided  
for. As the custodians of the Cemetery  
the Sanitary Board are perfectly within  
their province in making the sugges-  
tion to the Government, though we would  
have preferred to see the application come  
from the Buddhist community in the Colony.  
For many years after the Colony was  
founded there were no Buddhists here, so far  
as we know, except among the Chinese. It  
is only within very recent years that the  
subjects of H.M. the Emperor of Japan  
have settled in foreign parts, and now that  
we have in Hongkong a Japanese com-  
munity of probably several hundred persons  
the Government can reasonably be asked  
to provide a special cemetery where the rites  
and ceremonies of the Faith they profess  
may be performed with consolation to them-  
selves and offence to none—just as in Japan  
the Government provides special cemeteries  
for the interment of those who profess the  
Christian faiths. The arguments used by  
the Chinese representatives on the Board  
appear to have been entirely based on the  
misconception that the site was set apart  
as a general rather than as a Protestant  
cemetery; and when it is proved to their satis-  
faction that they are misinformed we feel sure  
they will be as ready as anyone else to  
recognise that the sentiments of the large  
Protestant community in the Colony are  
entitled to the same respect as the sentiments  
of those who have other religious creeds.  
We regret that the Head of the Sanitary  
Department of red no word in explanation  
of his vote against the motion, and the  
absence of Mr. BREWSTER, the Protector of  
Chinese, when this subject was discussed is  
another matter for regret.

The Siberian Mail was delivered in London  
on the 13th inst.At the Magistracy yesterday Mr. J. H. Kemp  
fined a rickshaw coolie, employed by Dr. Black, \$5  
for using abusive language.New offices for the Yokohama Specie Bank at  
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Manchurian railway on a tour of North and  
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General of the Philippines, is expected to suc-  
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Court of the United States in October next.Mr. C. H. Cross, formerly in the office of the  
Pacific Mail at Hongkong, has been appointed  
general agent for the Chicago Milwaukee and  
St. Paul Railway Company for the Orient. He  
is expected here on June 1st.A native was caught loitering in Queen's  
Road Central between three and four o'clock  
yesterday morning. When brought before Mr.  
F. A. Hazeland at the Magistracy yesterday he  
could give no reason for being there, and was  
sent to jail for a month.A Chinaman appeared before Mr. Hazeland  
at the Magistracy yesterday on the charge of  
keeping a disorderly house in Ko Shing Street.  
The offence was proved and he was ordered to  
pay a fine of \$50, in default, one month's impris-  
onment.At Kennedy's Stables yesterday afternoon  
Messrs. Hughes and Hough sold three well-  
known race ponies. Seafoam was purchased by  
Lieut. Leeson for \$500; Strathdallas was  
knocked down to Dr. J. W. Noble for \$150; and  
Kingston was sold to Mr. Li Te Ming for \$50.At the Marine Magistrate's Court yesterday,  
before Commissioner Basil R. H. Taylor, R.N.,  
three boatwomen were fined 82 apiece for  
obstructing the Wing Lok Street wharf; a boat-  
man, for a similar offence, was fined \$5; and  
the master of a passenger boat, for carrying two  
persons in excess was fined \$20.

The following extraordinary telegraphic  
message dated New York, April 3rd is published  
in the Japan papers:—"To-day's Herald  
publishes a Washington telegram to the fol-  
lowing effect:—Japan avails herself of her influence  
in Manchuria to exclude foreigners as far as  
possible. The attention of the Hongkong  
Legislature is largely attracted to the increasing  
influence of Japan, and the British authorities  
of Hongkong are reported to be considering  
steps to check it. Dr. Moore (?) has been dis-  
patched from England in the direction of Hong-  
kong to investigate the condition of the Orient.  
The doctor is said to have been told that he  
is going to exclude foreigners from China." The  
telegram is a farrago of nonsense.

## AN ESCAPED PRISONER.

WHO WENT IN SEARCH OF A CHARACTER.

The Chinese prisoner who escaped from a  
European constable at Shaukiwan last month  
has again been apprehended, and the story of  
his arrest, escape and re-arrest was told to Mr.  
F. A. Hazeland at the Magistracy yesterday.  
The prisoner, by name Chu Sam, boarded a  
tramcar near the terminus at Shaukiwan on the  
morning of March 14th. He took a seat in  
the second class compartment; but as soon  
as the tram was in motion changed to first  
class where, apparently, he knew that the  
conductor kept his books and cash in a  
box under the rear seat. While the conduc-  
tor was collecting the fares from the third  
class passengers, the defendant endeavoured  
to break open the box containing the cash box,  
but was seen by the conductor through the car  
window. The conductor immediately trans-  
ferred himself to the first class, and as the  
prisoner stood up, demanded his fare. The  
accused attempted to jump off the car, but the  
conductor seized him and with the assistance  
of Sergeant Chinnery, R.G.A., who was on the  
car at the time, took the man to Quarry Bay  
where he was handed over to a European con-  
stable.

On the following day the defendant was  
charged before Mr. J. B. Wood at the Magistracy,  
and was remanded in police custody because he  
stated that he wished to call his late master to  
give him a good character. That afternoon the  
defendant was taken back to Shaukiwan by  
Constable Rutledge. After alighting from  
the car the constable was accosted by an  
officer, who wished to be directed to one  
of the forts. While pointing the way to the  
officer, the prisoner struck the constable a blow  
on the wrist, freed himself, ran up by the  
Shaukiwan slaughter-house towards Stanley  
Road, and made good his escape. Until a few  
days ago the prisoner enjoyed his freedom, but  
from information received, Inspector Collett  
despatched a Chinese detective to West Point,  
and the defendant was apprehended in an opium  
divan in Queen's Road. When arrested he was  
found to have two and a half mace of prepared  
opium in his possession.

He appeared before Mr. F. A. Hazeland  
at the Magistracy yesterday on charges of  
assaulting the police and being in unlawful  
possession of opium. He admitted that he  
attempted to escape, but stated that he thought  
the other magistrate had discharged him, and  
that the constable had no right to be taking him  
to Shaukiwan.

His Worship recorded a conviction on each  
charge, but deferred sentence until Mr. Wood  
had dealt with him on the previous charge of  
being a rogue and a vagabond.

## TELEGRAMS.

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## ANGLO-JAPANESE ALLIANCE.

## RUMOURS OF TERMINATION DENIED.

LONDON, April 14th.

Sir T. Kato, the Japanese Minister  
at London, has issued an emphatic  
denial of the rumours spread in the  
Berlin and Vienna press that Japan  
intends to terminate the alliance with  
Great Britain, owing to Britain's in-  
timacy with Russia and America.

## TANG SHAO YI'S MISSION.

LONDON, April 14th.

Tang Shao Yi and the members of  
his mission have now reached St.  
Petersburg.

## REVOLT IN TURKEY.

## MASSACRE BY TROOPS.

LONDON, April 14th.

A military revolt has taken place in  
Constantinople, where two battalions  
surrounded Parliament House at dawn  
on the 13th inst. and demanded the  
dismissal of the Grand Vizier, the Presi-  
dent of the Chamber, and the Minister  
for War. The situation has been  
extremely strained for several weeks,  
owing to the bitterness between the  
committee of the Union of Progress  
and the Liberals.

LONDON, April 14th.

It is reported that the Turkish  
Minister of Justice has been murdered;  
the Minister of Marine wounded;  
the Minister of War a prisoner, and  
that 17 persons have been killed and  
30 wounded.

Edhem Pasha, who commanded the  
Turkish forces in the war with Greece,  
has been appointed Minister of War,  
and last evening proceeded from  
Yildiz to Stamboul, accompanied by  
cheering troops and bands.

An Irade was read in the Chamber  
accepting the resignation of the  
Cabinet and ordering the formation of  
a new Ministry.

The Irade pardons the mutineers.  
The Message was received with  
cheers for the Sultan.

## JAPANESE PRINCE IN RUSSIA.

LONDON, April 14th.

Prince Kuni has arrived in St.  
Petersburg.

DEATH OF SIR DONALD  
CURRIE.

LONDON, April 14th.

Sir Donald Currie, M.P., head of  
the firm of Donald Currie and Com-  
pany, is dead.

ILLICIT USE OF "THE  
MANY ART."

It is well known that Chinese have adopted  
many forms of Occidental sport, and the latest  
that has found favour with them is the art of  
boxing. Recently, local European pugilists have  
been engaged to instruct and to compete with  
Chinese champions at the Tai Ping theatre, and  
at each meeting there have been exceptionally  
large and interested attendances. A native who  
was stated to have gained considerable ex-  
perience as a boxer, appeared before Mr. F. A.  
Hazeland at the Magistracy yesterday, charged  
with disorderly behaviour and assault. It  
appears that the defendant was, until recently,  
engaged by a contractor in Graham Street, but  
was dismissed because his master suspected him  
of pilfering, and another man was engaged in  
his stead. His Worship was told that the  
defendant persuaded the man who succeeded him  
to leave, and then visited his master's shop and  
proceeded to damage property. Afterwards he  
turned his attention to his late employer, one of  
the unskilled, and gave him his first lesson in  
boxing, doing considerable damage with his  
fists, hooks and drives. After hearing the  
evidence the Magistrate imposed a fine of \$5.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPH ON  
C.P.R. STEAMERS.

We have received advice that the Marconi  
Wireless apparatus has been installed on the  
Empress of China, which steamer is due to  
arrive in Hongkong at 3 o'clock this afternoon,  
and that the Empress of India and Empress of  
Japan will be similarly fitted on reaching  
Vancouver.

COMPLIMENTARY DINNER TO DR.  
WILDER.

Dr. A. P. Wilder, the American Consul  
General, who leaves for a holiday on Saturday,  
was entertained by leading members of the  
Chinese community to a complimentary dinner  
at the Chinese Club last night. Mr. Fuller,  
the Vice-Consul, was also a guest. Mr.  
Lau Chu Pak presided over a large gathering,  
and in proposing the toast of the evening said:  
Gentlemen, as you are all aware, the occasion  
which calls us together here this evening is to  
pay our respect to a gentleman who deserves it,  
and to bid him farewell on the eve of his  
departure for home on a well-earned holiday.  
That gentleman is no other than the widely  
popular and highly esteemed Consul-General for  
the United States, Dr. Wilder. I am exceedingly  
glad that, in the midst of his busy preparations,  
he has been able to find leisure to favour us with  
his genial company, thus affording us an oppor-  
tunity of giving vent to our own admiration  
of our compatriots of his many kind acts, both  
in his official capacity as the representative of  
a powerful nation and in his private capacity as a  
friend. In customs and habits, it is true, the  
East differs from the West in a great many  
ways, but in feelings, I think you will all admit  
there is, if not an exact, a very close similarity.  
The Chinese know as well as their Western  
brothers, who deserve respect and honour, and  
what to be grateful for. In our distinguished  
guest, our compatriots who have business  
connections with his country have not  
only a fair-minded official to deal with, but  
also a sympathetic friend, who is ready to  
assist in every way he can. Who knowing  
him well has not a good word to say in  
his praise? During the years he has spent  
amongst us, he has, by his affability, politeness  
and impartiality, won the good-will and  
esteem of all those who have been brought into  
contact with him. To win the good-will of  
one's fellow-creatures by purely personal merits  
is, I should say, as great an achievement in  
one's life as the acquirement of fame and honour  
by heroic deeds. Particularly in his own home-  
land, it is the gaining of the people's good-will  
that has made many great men greater. Our  
guest has that capability. As a scholar, he is  
learned and accomplished; as an official he  
is well-informed, just and dignified; as a  
debater he is eloquent and resourceful, and as a  
private individual, he is kind, honest and  
charitable. Fortunate indeed is the country  
which possesses a servant of his abilities. It  
need never fear that, in his hands, its interests  
will suffer either politically or commercially.  
He is going away from us now and may not  
come back again. We all, of course, sincerely  
regret that we shall very soon lose sight of his  
familiar figure moving energetically amongst  
us, but when we reflect that his absence  
from us means real happiness to his own kith  
and kin, longing to embrace him, and possible  
promotion to a higher sphere in the official  
circles of his country, for which, by his great  
talents, he is so well qualified, we would rather  
rejoice in the success which is awaiting him  
than regret his departure from our midst.  
Gentlemen, I call upon you all to cordially join  
me in drinking to his and the health of his  
family in wishing them long life and prosperity.  
We wish him "bon voyage" and may he, on  
arrival, find his folks all in the best of health  
and his countrymen with out-stretched hands  
ready to welcome him to a higher seat of honour.  
(Applause.)

Dr. WILDER, in responding, thanked his  
hosts for the hearty manner in which they had  
received the toast. When he first arrived in  
Hongkong he was not well acquainted with the  
Chinese, but after a short stay here he formed  
a good opinion of them. A great Chinese sage  
said that all within the four seas were, or ought  
to be, brothers, and after his three years so-  
journ here he believed that we were all brethren.  
After enlarging Mr. Fuller who has just passed  
a Government examination with credit, Consul  
Wilder spoke of the University movement. It  
was all very well, he said, for Chinese to wor-  
ship at the ancestral temples, and to expend  
large sums of money on them, but they  
should also think of their sons, and give  
them the best education they possibly could. He  
concluded an eloquent address by stating that  
when he returned to America he would remem-  
ber the members of the Club to President Taft.  
He presented a small autograph photo of the  
new president to the Club, and promised to  
endeavour to obtain an enlarged photograph  
containing Mr. Taft's autograph.

Mr. SYN TAY FAN briefly thanked Dr. Wil-  
der for his unexpected present.  
Mr. HO FOK then proposed the health of  
Mr. Fuller, which was duly honoured and  
fittedly responded to.

Before the evening ended a flashlight photo  
was taken of those present.

## THE NATIVE CUSTOMS, TIENSIN.

The China Times hears that Col. Munthe has  
taken over charge of the Native Customs,  
Tientsin, from Mr. T. Ferguson, who has been  
granted two years' home leave. In wishing Col.  
Munthe every success in his new sphere, our  
contemporary thinks it is only voicing the public  
sentiment in extending to him thanks for his  
unfailing tact, courtesy, and attention in his  
dealings as an intermediary between the City  
authorities and the Concessions. To the residents  
at large Col. Munthe is, of course, best known  
in connexion with the Viceregal receptions and  
similar functions, but by the few with whom he  
has had special dealings his quiet and tactful  
work has been greatly appreciated.

## LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Bank Line str. *Superic* left the Sound  
on the 10th inst., for Hongkong via Japan  
ports and Manila.

## LOCAL SPORT.

## INTERPORT FOOTBALL.

Swatow, 10th April.

This afternoon the residents of Swatow had  
the pleasure of seeing the local eleven win from  
Hongkong after a very enjoyable and interesting  
game, played on the Anglo-Chinese College  
ground at Kialat. The score when the whistle  
was blown stood at five goals to three in favour  
of Swatow.

The teams after being photographed took the  
field as follows:—Hongkong—Grimble, Braun  
and Bird; Weaver, Hall and Bevington; Morris-  
son and Williams; Mead; Garrett and Reid.  
Swatow—Deeks; Graham and Donaldson  
Cooke, Barker and Wallace; Greenhill and  
Rigden; Lane; Reed and Marti.

Swatow, with their usual luck, won the toss  
and elected to play with the wind but against a  
glaring sun. The weather was ideal and the  
ground in the best of order when the Hongkong  
centre kicked off. Almost immediately the  
leather was sent out, but Swatow cap-  
tured it from the throw-in and the forwards  
keeping well together took it to the visitors' end  
and had a try at goal. One of the backs was in  
the line of fire and the ball rebounded, only to  
be trapped by Greenhill, who drove it into the  
net, putting Swatow one up. Hongkong now  
pressed hard and gave the home backs an anxious  
time for about ten minutes. However, they  
proved equal to all demands and kept driving  
the ball well up the field. Afterwards Swatow  
forwards showed some nice passing and Lane  
getting the ball close in made no mistake, scoring  
with a shot which was quite beyond Grimble's  
reach. Putting the ball in motion again, Hong-  
kong came up with a rush and for a time Deek's  
charge was in danger but he saved by smartly  
flitting out. A hard drive by Mead looked  
dangerous but Deek was not to be caught  
napping. Hongkong attacked again, and  
showed some nice combination, but they had  
no luck at goal. Following a short spell  
of even play the visitors made a series of  
ruses but were repulsed, the backs defending  
well. The ball now travelled rapidly from end  
to end and just as Swatow was settling down,  
half-time was called.

After the five minutes' respite Referee But-  
cher blew the whistle and the teams again lined  
up. The Swatow men were early aggressive  
and Rigden catching up a pass beat his opponent  
and shooting straight into the net placed Swatow  
another point up. Scarcely three minutes had  
elapsed before Barker got possession and having  
his own way, scored a beautiful goal. Hongkong  
assumed the offensive but the home men cleared  
well and following this up with a rush on the  
visitors' goal, scored a corner which Braun  
cleared in fine style. Hongkong forwards and  
halves now came swinging down in fine  
style, their combination getting them  
in proximity to Deeks, whom Garrett  
beat with a swift low shot. Hongkong  
followed up this success with another attack,  
and Mead, from a few yards out shot the second  
goal. From the kick off Swatow took posses-  
sion and scored their fifth point, Lane easily  
putting the ball past Grimble. The visitors  
obtained the next goal, Mead doing the trick.  
Hard pressing by both sides followed, and play  
was fast. Hongkong were working hard, and  
doing their best to equalise, but the luck was  
not to be theirs, and time was called with the  
score standing—Swatow, 5—Hongkong, 3.

Thus ended the best and most enjoyable game  
of "football" that Swatow has seen for some time.  
All through it was a keen match and I, as a  
spectator, think the better team won. Per-  
haps they had a slice of luck, while Hongkong  
had extremely hard lines on several occasions  
in not scoring. Hongkong forwards were ex-  
cellent, the halves fair, the backs shaky, but the  
goalkeeper superb. The Swatow forwards were  
splendid, the halves were all right, the backs  
were very good, and the goalkeeper was mar-  
vellous.

## "MUGGINS"

## LADIES RIFLE SHOOTING.

The results of the opening shoot yesterday  
in connection with the annual meeting of the  
Ladies Recreation Club are appended:—

Name.	Order of Merit.	Score.	Order of Merit.	Score.
Miss Hooper	27	26	3	29
Miss Wilkinson	20	21	—	21
Miss Dayard	21	22	8	30
Mrs. Bissland	31	23	3	32
Mrs. Scott Harton	21	17	6	23
Mrs. Murray	23	23	10	33
Miss Nicholson	22	23	4	27
Miss F. Hoffmann	22	24	4	28
Mrs. Worthington	23	27	3	31
Mrs. Shelton	25	25	8	25
Mrs. Gompertz	24	23	3	26
Mrs. Ormiston	24	24	5	29
Miss M. Lousbro	22	27	8	27
Miss Beth	23	26	3	29
Miss Chapman	25	27	4	31
Mrs. Bailey	24	29	3	32
Miss Rowe	27	22	5	27
Mrs. Chapman	—	19	12	31
Mrs. Wakeman	—	14	11	25

## SIAM'S RICE EXPORT.

The falling off in the rice export from Bangkok  
states, is causing much discussion in  
Bangkok at present. The difficulty of course is  
not the want of paddy, but the want of paddy at  
such a price as will enable the rice to be milled  
and exported at profit. At the same time it has  
to be noted that the export, though less than  
last year, is greater than in the year before. The  
figures most readily available are those of the  
daily actually paid at the Customs House on the  
rice exported. These are as follows:—

	1908.	1907.
Jan. to Dec.	208,517	248,313
Feb. "	230,751	248,472
March "	212,098	307,693
* Up to March 27th for 1909.		



The fourteenth general meeting of shareholders of the China Flour Mill Co., Ltd. Shanghai, was held last week at the office of the General Managers, Messrs. Walter Scharriff and Co., No. 53B, Nicolson Road. Those were present, Messrs. H. McLean (presiding), H. J. Scharriff and Walter Scharriff (directors), E. Kupechuk, A. B. Charlton, John Wason, A. S. Wilson (Messrs. Stokes, Platt and Teesdale), I. Brook, G. A. Schneider and Chang Yuen-ching, representing 1,710 shares.

The Chairman in the course of his address said, turning to the accounts you will see the loss. The loss incurred on the year's operations amounts to Tls. 29,947.47, which is proposed to be met by the Reserve Fund of Machinery, Mill stores and Furniture Tls. 9,937.83; General Manager's Commission, Directors' and Auditor's Fees, Tls. 9,700, making a gross total of Tls. 44,602.30. To meet this deficiency it is proposed to transfer from the Reserve Fund of Tls. 50,000 to Profit and Loss account which with the balance brought forward from last year, Tls. 94,970.70, will provide a dividend of 82 shillings amounting to Tls. 12,129.40 at credit of Profit and Loss account, and deducting from this sum of Tls. 44,602.30 as above, leaves a balance of Tls. 12,129.40 to be carried forward to credit of new account. You will notice in our Balance sheet the amount of Tls. 152,230.27 against Sundries. Creditors, which includes our overdraft with our bankers, but this is practically covered by our stocks in hand and on last December 31st, value of Tls. 29,799.60, which more than half has since been sold and paid for, and although the mill at the present time is working only for twelve hours a day there are good prospects of business improving in the near future, we are running regular 24 hours run per diem.



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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPT.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that information has been received from the Military Authorities that GUN PRACTICE will be carried out in the vicinity of BEACON HILL on the 16th and 17th inst., between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. daily.

F. H. MAY,  
Colonial Secretary.  
Hongkong, 14th April, 1909. [613]

## HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the members of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce will be on FRIDAY, the 23rd April, 1909, at 4 p.m., in the CRYSTAL HALL for the following purposes:

1. To receive the Report and Accounts of the Committee for the year ending 31st December, 1908.
2. To elect a New Committee.
3. To transact any General Business.

By Order,  
E. A. M. WILLIAMS,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 15th April, 1909. [614]

## WANTED.

TO Purchase a BILLIARD TABLE (Full Size in Good Condition) and all Accessories.

State full particulars to—  
SOJOURNER,  
Care of "Daily Press" Office.  
Hongkong, 15th April, 1909. [615]

## THE DAIRY FARM CO., LTD.

## FRESH BUTTER

40 cts. 60 cts. 75 cts. 75 cts. and 80 cts. lb.

## CREAM CHEESE MILK CHEESE

THE DAIRY FARM CO., LTD.,  
Hongkong and Kowloon.  
Hongkong, 29th March, 1909. [520]

## FOR SHANGHAI.

## THE P. &amp; O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer

"ASSAEE"  
Capt. W. G. Gordon, R.N.R., will leave for the above place TO-MORROW, the 15th inst., at 5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
E. A. HEWETT,  
Superintendent.  
Hongkong, 14th April, 1909. [1]

## INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

## THE Company's Steamship

"NAMSANG"  
having arrived from the above Ports Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo, impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. the 17th inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, 14th April, 1909. [16]

## DOGS.

POINTERS, SETTERS, TERRIERS and GOOD WATCH DOGS For Sale from \$5 and upwards. Apply immediately to the Post Office Box No. 366.  
Hongkong, 14th April, 1909. [609]

## REMOVAL.

P. CHEUNG, the Best and Oldest Watchmaker, Jeweller and Engraver, will REMOVE his Store from No. 24, Huiphong (Old Elgin) Road, Kowloon, to No. 56, of the same Street, on 12th April. Patrons are courteously invited to call and inspect the Stock in the New Premises.

PO CHEUNG,  
Kowloon, 6th April, 1909. [579]

## WANTED.

BY a GERMAN GENTLEMAN, residing in CAINE ROAD, Advanced Lessons and an Accompanying Violin and Piano twice a week from 9 to 10 o'clock in the evening.

Apply stating terms to—X.V.  
Care of "Daily Press" Office.  
Hongkong, 6th April, 1909. [578]

## SUTTON'S SEEDS.

Special Selections for South China.  
CHINA EXPRESS CO.,  
3, Duddell Street, Hongkong,  
Shipping and Insurance Agents.  
Hongkong, 22nd January, 1909. [50]

## PUBLIC COMPANIES

## UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-SIXTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at its Head Office No. 2, Queen's Buildings, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st April, 1909, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1908, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 11th April, to the 21st April, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
C. MONTAGUE EDE,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 25th March, 1909. [517]

## UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Society will be held at its Head Office, No. 2, Queen's Buildings, Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st April, 1909, at 12.15 p.m., for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following Special Resolution:

"That the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Society be respectively extended, altered and amended so as to read as shown in the print signed for the purpose of identification by the Chairman of this Meeting and that such extended, altered and amended Memorandum and Articles of Association be henceforth adopted as the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Society to the exclusion of those heretofore prevailing."

Should the above Special Resolution be duly passed, it will be subsequently submitted for confirmation to a further Extraordinary General Meeting, of which Notice will be hereafter given. Prints of the proposed Memorandum and Articles of Association can be seen at the Society's Offices or obtained on application there.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
C. MONTAGUE EDE,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 31st March, 1909. [544]

## THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTY-THIRD ORDINARY MEETING of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Head Office, No. 2, Queen's Buildings, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st April, 1909, at 12.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statements of Account to the 31st December, 1908, and of declaring Dividends.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 7th April, to the 21st April, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
C. MONTAGUE EDE,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 27th March, 1909. [526]

## THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at its Head Office, No. 2, Queen's Buildings, Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st April, 1909, at 12.45 p.m., for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following Special Resolution:

"That the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company be respectively extended, altered and amended so as to read as shown in the print signed for the purpose of identification by the Chairman of this Meeting and that such extended, altered and amended Memorandum and Articles of Association be henceforth adopted as the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company to the exclusion of those heretofore prevailing."

Should the above Special Resolution be duly passed, it will be subsequently submitted for confirmation to a further Extraordinary General Meeting, of which Notice will be hereafter given. Prints of the proposed Memorandum and Articles of Association can be seen at the Company's Offices or obtained on application there.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
C. MONTAGUE EDE,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 31st March, 1909. [545]

## THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-SETH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office, 2, Queen's Buildings, on SATURDAY, the 24th April, 1909, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 28th February, 1909, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th April, 1909, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, 7th April, 1909. [587]

## NOTICE.

\$150,000 to Invest on Mortgage. Send Particulars of Securities offered to "X."  
Care of "Daily Press" Office.  
Hongkong, 30th March, 1909. [537]

## DR. M. H. CHAUN.

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Hongkong, 17th April, 1907. [415]

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Hongkong, 21st September, 1905. [504]

## INTIMATIONS

## HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

## NOTICE.

THE HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the above Club will be held on SATURDAY, the 17th April, 1909, at 12.30 p.m., at the Offices of the Jockey Club on the ground floor of the Hongkong Club Annex, Chester Road.

By Order,  
T. F. HOUGH,  
Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong, 3rd April, 1909. [570]

## HONGKONG &amp; WHAMPOA DOCK CO., LTD.

## NOTICE.

M. T. I. ROSE having Resigned the position of Secretary, Mr. G. A. CALDWELL has been Appointed Acting Secretary from this Date.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
H. P. WHITE,  
Acting Chairman.  
Hongkong, 10th April, 1909. [599]

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Hongkong, 27th March, 1909. [37]

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Hongkong, 6th March, 1907. [47]

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H. OISHI, Manager,  
No. 2, Pedder Street, Hongkong.  
Hongkong, 9th January, 1909. [716]

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YEE SANG FAT & Co.,  
34, Queen's Road Central.  
Hongkong, 19th March, 1909. [489]

## TO LET.

GODOWN, No. 5A, DUDELL STREET.

Apply to—

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LD.

Hongkong, 1st April, 1909. [98]

## TO LET.

SHOP and DWELLING HOUSE, No. 7, Queen's Road, Central.

Apply to—

S. J. DAVID & Co.,  
Princes' Buildings.  
Hongkong, 25th March, 1909. [513]

## TO LET.

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[589]

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JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER,  
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8, Des Vœux Road Central.  
Hongkong, 2nd March, 1909. [110]

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Hongkong, 1st April, 1909. [97]

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ROOMS suitable for Offices in No. 10, Des Vœux Street, in rear of David Sassoon & Co.'s premises.

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Hongkong, 1st April, 1909. [583]

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Hongkong, 9th April, 1909. [100]

## TO LET.

GODOWNS, Nos. 95, 96 and 97, PRAYA EAST.

Apply—  
CHATER & MODY,  
Victoria Buildings.  
Hongkong, 1st February, 1909. [264]

## TO LET.

NO. 6, OBSERVATORY VILLAS, Kowloon. Five-Roomed House; Electric Lights and Tennis Court.

"FRANEE BUNGALOW" Kowloon. A Small Garden attached. Moderate Rental.

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Hongkong, 3rd March, 1909. [399]

## TO LET.

AT the PEAK, HOUSE in STEWART TERRACE, Furnished or Unfurnished.

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Hongkong, 20th March, 1909. [494]

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Hongkong, 18th January, 1908. [103]

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Hongkong, 15th March, 1909. [522]

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before 11 A.M. To-day, requesting it to be  
landed here.Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the  
Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after  
Monday, the 19th April, at Noon, will be  
subject to rent and landing charges.All claims must be sent in to me on or before  
the 19th April, or they will not be recognized.  
All damaged packages will be examined on  
Monday, the 19th April, at 3 P.M.No fire insurance has been effected.  
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FAR EAST.We give below the votes for the Far-East, so  
far as they appear on the face of the Estimates.  
CHINA.Establishment (Hongkong).—Three companies  
of Garrison Artillery, 732 of all ranks; two  
companies of Royal Engineers, 13 officers and  
231 men; one battalion of Infantry, 932 of all  
ranks; four officers and 29 men of the Army  
Service Corps; 8 officers and 44 men of the  
Royal Army Medical Corps; 1,788 of all ranks; 360  
Native Indian Infantry, 1,788 of all ranks; 360  
Artillery; 50 Engineers; 36 men of the Army  
Ordnance Department; 32 of the Army  
Ordnance Corps. Total of all ranks, 4,225.Ditto (North China).—A detachment of 53  
Garrison Artillery; two Engineer officers and  
one man; one battalion of Infantry, 938 of all  
ranks; four officers and 31 men of the Army  
Service Corps; five officers and 19 men of the  
Royal Army Medical Corps; one battalion of  
Colonial and Native Indian Infantry, 925 of all  
ranks; one man of the Army Ordnance Depart-  
ment; and 20 men of the Army Corps. Total  
of all ranks, 2,000.Detail of Staff of Command (Hongkong).—  
Major-General commanding, £1,095 per annum;  
Aide-de-Camp, £191; Lieutenant-Colonel, or  
Major of the General Staff, £401; Deputy  
Assistant-Adjutant and Quartermaster-General,  
£401; Chief Engineer, £748.Ditto (North China).—Brigadier-General  
Commanding, £748; General Staff Officer, 2nd  
grade, £401; one 3rd grade, £273; Deputy-Assis-  
tant and Quartermaster-General, £401.Chaplain's Department (North China).—  
Chaplain, £194; servant allowance, £12; pay, &c.  
of officiating clergy, and allowances for conting-  
ents, £60. Total, £266.Ditto (South China).—Chaplain, £228; ser-  
vant allowance, £11; pay of chapel clerks, &c.,  
£27; pay, &c., of officiating clergy, £301. Total  
£566.Indian Force.—Pay and other expenses of  
Indian Force in North China, £55,000  
 (£104,000).Medical Establishments (Hongkong).—  
Colonel, £821; seven Lieutenants-Colonels and  
officers of lower rank, £2,590; one quarter-  
master, £300; servant allowance, £160; con-  
tingents, £5; ten Queen Alexandra's Imperial  
Military Nursing Service and Army Nursing  
Reserve, £400; allowances for board, washing,  
and clothing, £500; servants, £100; clerk  
civilian subordinates, £530.Ditto (North China).—Five Lieutenant-Col-  
onels, £1,750; one Quartermaster, £200;  
servant allowance, £100; contingents, £5;  
pay of civilian medical practitioners and den-  
tists, &c., and medical bills, £25; civilian sub-  
ordinates, £22.Water Transport Establishment, including  
Crews of War Department Vessels.—South  
China, £825.Army Service Corps.—Subordinate Establish-  
ment.—South China: Two clerks, £290; other  
subordinates continuously employed, £1,000;  
pay of Land Transport Establishment, £1,150;  
temporary labour, &c., £1,185. Total, £3,715.  
North China: subordinates continuously em-  
ployed, £70; pay of Land Transport Establish-  
ment, £1,470; temporary labour, £90. Total,  
£2,330.Quartermaster, Land Transport, Remounts, and  
Supplies.—North China: Lodging and stable  
allowances, £1,700; field allowance, £160; hire  
of buildings to supplement barracks, £18,500;  
barrack services, £910; conveyance of troops,  
£1,450; carriage of stores, £2,600; remounts,  
£900; provisions and separation allowance,  
£13,100; forage and paddockage, £5,000; fuel  
and light, £5,100; colonial allowances, £2,400;  
water supply, £200; advertisements, £10; total,  
£26,410. Appropriations in aid (supplies), £700.South China.—Lodging and stable allowances,  
£6,000; field allowances, £60; hire of buildings  
to supplement barracks, £4,000; barrack services,  
£1,700; conveyance of troops, £510; carriage of  
stores, £1,310; remounts, £3,710; provisions and  
separation allowance, £3,100; fuel and light, £9,500;  
colonial allowances, £2,400; water supply,  
£1,450; advertisements, £40; total, £57,910.

Appropriations in aid (supplies), £200.

Army Ordnance Department.—North China:  
21 clerks, writers, and others continuously  
employed, £200. South China: 97 clerks,  
writers, and others continuously employed,  
£3,775; temporary labour, £492. Total, £4,267.Engineer Services.—Hongkong and North  
China: One Surveying and Inspector of  
Works, £650; five engineer clerks and  
draughtsmen, £505; 10 military foremen of  
works, £1,318; three temporary civilian  
draughtsmen, £160; one temporary surveyor's  
clerk, £297; four temporary civilian ex soldier  
and pensioner clerks, £367; thirteen temporary  
engineer clerks and draughtsmen, £13; five  
messengers and office keepers, £52; four engine  
drivers, £72; five storekeepers, carters, &c.,  
£135; one range warden and cleaner, £15;  
Total, £4,625. North China civilian staff,  
£1,41.Army Accounts Department.—Hongkong: Ac-  
countant, £593; first-class assistant, £456; one  
second class assistant, £354; servant allowance,  
£22; warrant officer, £134; three staff  
sergeants, £295; four sergeants and corporals  
£302; two hired and boy writers, £131;  
wages of messengers, office-keepers, &c.,  
Total, £2,226.Ditto (North China).—One first-class assistant  
accountant, £510; servant allowance, £12;  
warrant officer, £116; staff sergeant, £107;  
sergeants and corporals, £159; messengers, &c.,  
£8. Total, £712.New Works, &c.—Hongkong: There is  
a vote of £2,400 to provide quarters  
for foreman and master artificer; £4,000  
for additional married quarters; £5,100 new  
A.S.C. offices, Kowloon; £3,140 for White  
field Barracks, quarters for native officers,  
hospital assistants, and cookhouses; £1,500 for  
Whitfield Camp, replace matchlocks by permanent  
buildings.Miscellaneous.—Contributions from Colonial  
Revenues in aid of military expenditure: Hong-  
kong, £100,000 (£128,000); Straits Settlements,  
£205,000 (£204,800). Pay and other expenses  
of Indian force in North China £31,000  
 (£55,000).General Summary.—Estimate regimental  
force in the command, Hongkong, 4,225.  
Vote 1: (pay, &c., of general staff, regiments,  
and departments), £153,323. Vote 2:  
Medical establishment and medicines, £5,800.  
Educational establishment, £475. Vote 6: Lod-  
ging, stable, and field allowances, hire of build-  
ings, and barrack services, £11,760; conveyance  
of troops and stores, except by sea, £2,300;  
Army Service Corps subordinates and crews of  
vessels, £4,540; purchase of remounts, £346.  
Vote 7: Provisions, forage, fuel and light,  
Colonial allowances, £56,000. Ordnance Department,  
Vote 8: Wages, &c., of Ordnance Department, &c.,  
£4,267. Vote 9: Engineer services, &c.,  
£4,112; works and buildings, £7,925; rents  
£4,112; total, £52,067. Vote 11: Miscel-  
laneous Services, £1,200. Vote 12: Army  
Accounts Department, £2,226; total expenditure,  
£5,979. Military contribution by local Gov-  
ernment to Army Funds, £100,000.Ditto (North China).—Estimated regimental  
force in command, 2,000. Vote 1 (pay, &c., of  
general staff, regiments, and departments),  
£271,305. Vote 2: Medical establishments andmedicines, £2,900. Vote 5: Educational establish-  
ments, £1,355. Vote 6: Lodging stable and  
field allowances, hire of buildings, and barrack  
services, £21,260; conveyance of troops and  
stores, except by sea, £2,050; Army Service  
Corps subordinates and crews of vessels, £2,330;  
purchase of remounts, £846. Vote 7: Provisions,  
forage, fuel and light, Colonial allowances,  
£25,710; clothing, £9,000. Vote 8: Wages,  
Army Ordnance Department, £200. Vote 10:  
Engineer services, &c., £1,121; works and build-  
ings, £5,680. Total, £6,801. Vote 11: Miscel-  
laneous services, £500. Vote 12: Army Accounts  
Department, £712. Total expenditure, £145,069.

## GREAT BRITAIN AND SIAM.

## CRITICISM OF THE NEW TREATY.

Eleven months ago, says the Times of March  
12, we called attention to the negotiations which  
were in progress between Great Britain and  
Siam and which have now resulted in the  
signature of a new treaty between the two  
countries. From the telegram which we  
published yesterday, from Bangkok and the  
statements which have been circulated on this  
side, it is clear that the new treaty follows the  
lines which our Singapore correspondent an-  
nounced a little more than a year ago. Siam  
renounces, a favour of Great Britain, her  
suzerain rights over the native States of  
Keratan, Prengganu, and Kedah, and per-  
haps other districts, in the Malay Peninsula. In  
return the British Government consent to certain  
modifications in the extra-territorial rights en-  
joyed by British subjects in Siam. The  
Government of the Federated Malay States will  
advance to Siam the capital, about £4,000,000,  
required for the construction of railways in  
Southern Siam, by which it is hoped that direct  
railway communication will soon be established  
between Bangkok and Singapore.SATISFACTION IN SINGAPORE.  
The news of the signature of the treaty has,  
our Singapore correspondent telegraphs, been  
received with satisfaction in that city, and in-  
deed the benefits which it will confer on the  
Federated Malay States are obvious. The  
territories ceded by Siam will constitute  
a valuable addition to the British posses-  
sions in the Peninsula, especially when, under  
British administration, they have a fair  
chance for the development of their great  
resources; and the railway connection for which  
provision, carrying with it apparently some  
degree of control over the construction, is made,  
will open up rich districts now only accessible  
from bad harbours that are unapproachable  
during several months of the year.The letters which we have, from time to time,  
received from British residents in Siam make it  
evident that the news will bring equal  
satisfaction to them. It is natural that British  
subjects living in an Asiatic and only partially  
civilized country should contemplate with  
something like dismay any proposal to abolish  
Consular and international jurisdiction and  
place them under the Native Courts; in whose  
fairness and whose competence they have  
no confidence. The telegram from Bangkok  
which we published yesterday, stated that  
British subjects in Siam who are not registered  
as such before the conclusion of the treaty will  
come immediately under the jurisdiction of the  
Siam Courts, and that even those who are  
already registered as British subjects will lose  
the rights which they now enjoy as soon as the  
legal codes on which the legal advisers of Siam  
are now working come into force. The only  
safeguard mentioned in that telegram is that  
European advisers will sit in all courts in all  
cases in which British subjects are defendants.JUDGMENT RESERVED.  
We are, however, convinced that, when the  
full text of the treaty comes to be published, it  
will be found that the British Government have  
insisted upon conditions safeguarding the rights  
of their subjects far more efficiently than is stated  
in that telegram. The British subjects resident  
in Siam include some 15,000 Burmese Siamers,  
and are thus in a very different position from  
the French subjects subject over whom France  
conceals right of jurisdiction to Siam some two  
years ago and who were most of them to all  
intent and purposes Siamese. We do not  
believe that Lord Morley would have consented  
to any surrender, without what he believes to be  
adequate safeguards, of the rights of these  
natives of India, or that Sir Edward Grey has  
been less careful of the rights and interests of  
the British traders and others resident in Siam.  
Whether the safeguards which they have  
devised are really adequate in view of the  
notorious corruption and inefficiency of the  
Siam Courts, at any rate in the more distant  
provinces, can only be known when the text of  
the treaty is published. Until that time it will  
be best to reserve judgment as to whether or  
not the advantages which the treaty contains  
for the Federated Malay States have been  
purchased at too high a price.On March 30 the following letter appeared in  
the Bangkok Times:—  
Dear Sir,—In your paper of the 25th inst.  
under the heading of The Anglo-Siam Treaty  
a statement appeared from H. B. M. Charge  
d'Affaires that no petitions against the Treaty  
had been presented to or received by the British  
Legation. Now I beg to draw your attention  
to the following fact, and to ask you to publish  
the same in your paper to-day. A humble  
petition from the Indian merchants against the  
Treaty has been sent to England to the address  
of Sir Edward Grey, the Secretary of State for  
Foreign Affairs. It has been despatched by the  
French mail to-day. Yours, etc., A.D.D.

## WEATHER REPORT.

On the 14th at 12.05 p.m.—The barometer has  
risen quickly on the N.E. coast of China and  
falla moderately over Japan, the Loochoos and  
the E. coast of China.The depression lying over Manchuria yester-  
day, has moved into the N. part of the Sea of  
Japan. A second depression, which will prob-  
ably move Eastwards, has developed over the  
E. coast of China.Pressure is relatively high over N. China and  
over the Pacific in the neighbourhood of the  
Bougainville.Moderate S.W. winds may be expected in the  
Formosa Channel and light variable winds over  
the N. part of the China Sea.Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending  
at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches.Hongkong & Neighbourhood.  
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 QUANTA, German str., 1145, Madsen, 14th April—Java 5th April, General—Java-China Japan Ltd.  
 SIGNAL, German str., 904, G. Schalkier, 14th April—Singapore 7th April, General—Jensen & Co.  
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 14th April.  
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## DEPARTURES.

14th April.  
 AMERICA MARU, Jap. str., for Moji.  
 HAITANG, British str., for Hoihov.  
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 SUMATRA, British str., for London.  
 TIENTSIN, British str., for Shanghai.  
 TIENTSIN, German str., for Bangkok.  
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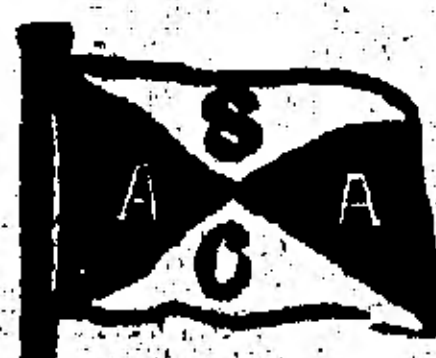
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MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP VIA SINGAPORE, &c.	HAKATA MARU	Jap. str.	k.w.	M. Balbridge	HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE	On 3rd May.
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CALCUTTA, IQUIQUE, &c. VIA JAPAN PORTS, &c.	ROSEBERRY MARU	Jap. str.	—	B. Wilhelm	TOTO KAIEN KAISHA	About 5th May.
TRIESTE, &c. VIA SINGAPORE, &c.	AVONIA	Ger. str.	—	Dodwell & Co., Ltd.	SANDER, WIELER & Co.	On 1st June.
NAPLES, GENOA, ALGIER, GIBRALTAR &c.	SATSUMA	Brit. str.	—	Dodwell & Co., Ltd.	MELCHERS & Co.	On 21st inst., at Noon.
NEW YORK	DAISIE CASTLE	Brit. str.	—	SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.	DODWELL & Co., Ltd.	About 20th inst.
BOSTON & NEW YORK	INDRAMAYO	Am. str.	—	CANADIAN PACIFIC R. CO.	DODWELL & Co., Ltd.	On 30th inst.
VANCOUVER VIA SHANGHAI JAPAN, &c.	EMPEROR OF CHINA	Brit. str.	2 m.	T. Shotton	CANADIAN PACIFIC R. CO.	On 2nd May, at 6 a.m.
VANCOUVER VIA SHANGHAI JAPAN, &c.	MONTEAGLE	Brit. str.	1 m.	K. Sato	CANADIAN PACIFIC R. CO.	On 11th May, at Noon.
VICTORIA, B.C., & TACOMA VIA JAPAN, &c.	AKI MARU	Jap. str.	—	Frederic	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	About 24th inst.
VICTORIA, B.C., & SEATTLE VIA SHANGHAI, &c.	CEYLON MARU	Jap. str.	—	N. Matheson	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 27th inst., at Noon.
AUSTRALIAN PORTS VIA MANILA	KOMANO MARU	Jap. str.	—	McArthur	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 11th May, at Noon.
AUSTRALIAN PORTS VIA PORT DARWIN, &c.	BAHAMA	Jap. str.	—	D. Lens	GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.	To-morrow, at Noon.
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AUSTRALIAN PORTS VIA MANILA	TAIWAN MARU	Jap. str.	—	L. Dawson	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 22nd inst., at 5 p.m.
AUSTRALIAN PORTS VIA MANILA	WASA MARU	Jap. str.	—	N. Nielsen	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 14th May, at Noon.
KOBE & YOKOHAMA	YASUO MARU	Jap. str.	—	H. Fraser	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 14th May, at 4 p.m.
YOKOHAMA	NIKKO MARU	Jap. str.	—	M. Yagi	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 17th inst.
NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	TSUBODAS	Dut. str.	—	Zwart	JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LINE	On 22nd inst., at Noon.
YAP	HOIHOW	Brit. str.	1 m.	E. Forsyth	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	Quick despatch.
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SHANGHAI MOJI & KOBE	KAGOSHIMA MARU	Jap. str.	—	Sandcock	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	To-morrow, at Noon.
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SHANGHAI	CHENYAN	Brit. str.	—	de Brouwers	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 25th inst., at D'light
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SHANGHAI	THAIATAP	Dut. str.	—		NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 25th inst., at Noon.
BATAVIA, CHERIBON, SAMARANG, &c.					JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.	On 17th inst., at Noon.
					JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LINE	On 28th inst., at Noon.

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SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	"DERFFLINGER" Capt. G. MEINERS	About Wed'ay, 21st April.
MANILA, YAP, NEWGUINEA, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE	"PRINZ SIGISMUND" Capt. D. LENZ	Thursday, 22nd April, at 5 p.m.
KUDAT & SANDAKAN	"BORNEO" Capt. F. SEMBIL	Beginning of May.

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 MELCHERS & Co.,  
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 Hongkong, 14th April, 1909. [5]

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MARSEILLES, VIA PORTS	"ERNEST SIMONS" Capt. Girard	On 27th April, 1 p.m.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	"POLYNESIE" Capt. Broc	On 10th May, p.m.
MARSEILLES VIA PORTS	"TONKIN" Capt. Charbonnet	On 11th May, 1 p.m.

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 Hongkong, 14th April, 1909. [2]

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 E. A. HEWETT,  
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 Hongkong, 5th April, 1909. [1]

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